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Ten Cents a Week

SWEDEN AMAZINGLY ENMESHED IN GERMAN PLOT LAID BARE BY U. S. STATE DEPARTMENT

German Charge at Buenos Aires Used Swedish Legation For Transmitting Code Instructions to German Foreign Office for Sinking Argentine Merchantmen.

OFFICIAL DISPATCHES ARE GIVEN AS POSITIVE PROOF OF DARK PLOT

Disclosures Intimate Relations Between Germany And Swedish Legation and Exposes Duplicity Of Germany in Double-Dealing With Argentina.

WASHINGTON, SEPTEMBER 8.—(ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH).—HOW SWEDEN'S LEGATION IN ARGENTINA, ACTING AS A SECRET MEANS OF COMMUNICATION BETWEEN THE GERMAN CHARGE D'AFFAIRS IN BUENOS AIRES AND THE GERMAN FOREIGN OFFICE, TRANSMITTED INFORMATION OF THE SAILING OF SHIPS AND DIRECTIONS FOR THEIR DESTRUCTION BY GERMAN SUBMARINES WAS REVEALED TODAY IN OFFICIAL DISPATCHES MADE PUBLIC BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

Copies of official dispatches sent to the Berlin Foreign Office by Count Luxburg, the German Charge in Buenos Aires in cipher, through the Swedish Legation as its own communication, was made public by Secretary Lansing without any comment as to how they fell into the hands of this government or any indication as to what is to come as the result of the disclosure.

Copies of the State Department's announcement were delivered at the same time to the Argentine Embassy and the Swedish Legation here.

Besides revealing the means in which Germany used Sweden in her operations in Argentina the dispatches show how the German Charge at the time Argentina was having serious diplomatic controversy with Berlin over submarine destruction of her ships, was sending through the Swedish Legation information of the sailing of certain vessels with recommendations that they be sunk "without leaving any trace" and in other dispatches informing his government how to regard Argentina's protest against the destruction of her shipping.

In the absence of any official comment whatever on the disclosure it appeared that the manifest purposes of the United States in publishing the correspondence were two. First, to show the relations between Germany and Sweden, at least so far as the legations in Argentina were concerned; and, second, to disclose to Argentina where German influences seemed to have been strongest in all South America, the manner in which the German diplomatic agent at her capital was giving secret instructions for destruction of her shipping and the manner in which he was guiding his government in dealing with Argentina diplomatically.

EXPLOSION IN ARSENAL KILLS THREE

Many Also Badly Injured When Explosion Occurs in Drying Room of Frankford Arsenal

By Associated Press Dispatch.
Philadelphia, Sept. 8.—Three workmen are known to have been killed and 23 badly injured in an explosion at the Frankford Arsenal in this city early today.

According to workmen the explosion was accidental there being nothing to indicate that it was caused by an outside agency. Two of the 23 injured are girls.

Major Montgomery, commandant of the arsenal and his aides are investigating the explosion but decline to

KAISER VISITS THE RIGA BATTLEFIELD

Amsterdam, Sept. 8.—Emperor William has arrived at Riga, a Berlin dispatch reports. He reviewed the troops and distributed medals on the battlefield.

make any statement until they have completed their inquiry. The carelessness of a workman is believed responsible.

The explosion occurred in one of three small buildings known as drying rooms, where the primer caps for three and six inch shells are dried. The building in question had its walls topped with cinders and every precaution was taken to prevent accident.

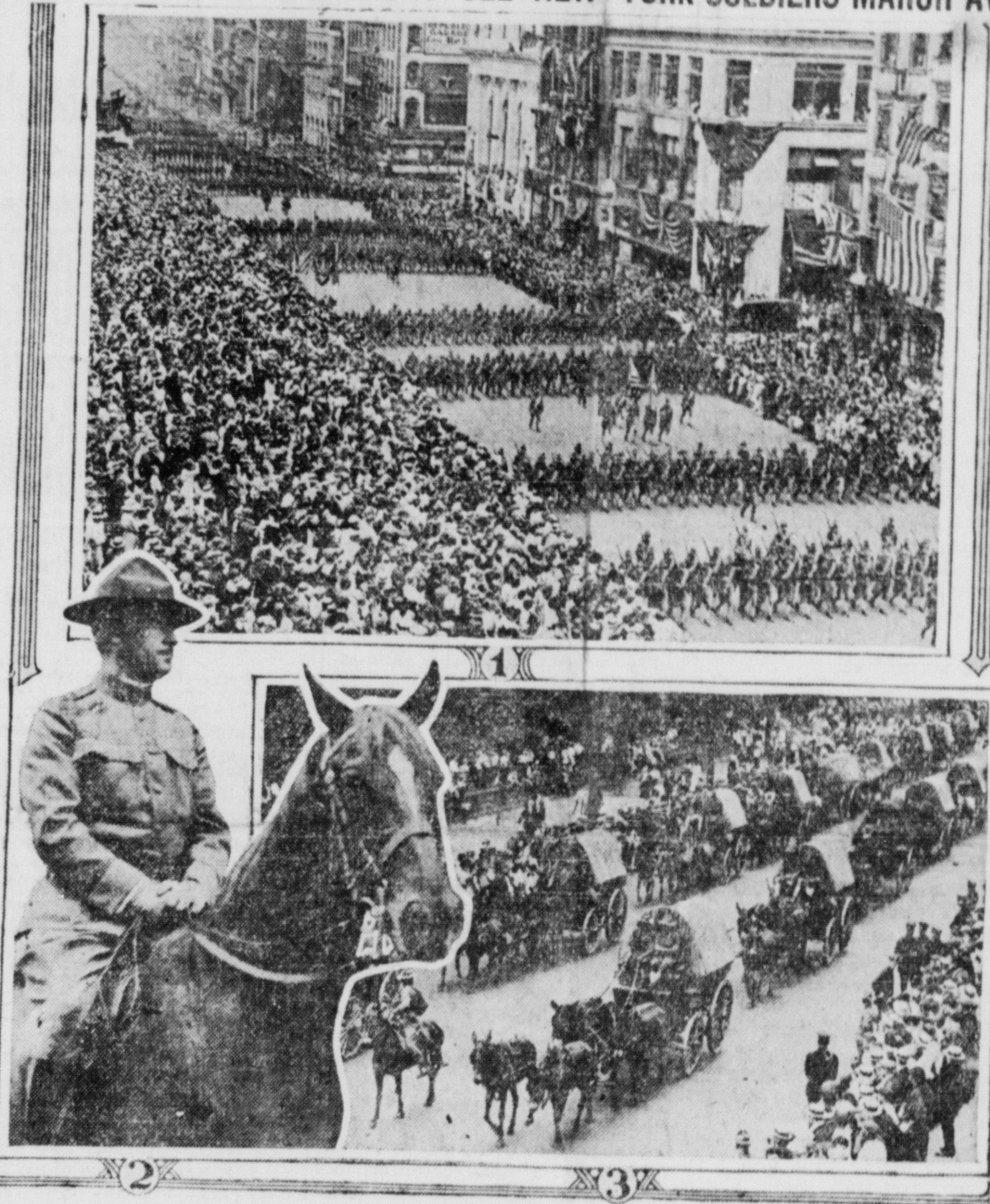
The monetary loss is estimated at \$30,000. Three small buildings were destroyed.

OFFICIAL REPORT

By Associated Press Dispatch.
WASHINGTON, September 8.—No cause for the explosion at the Frankford arsenal is assigned in official reports received by General Crozier, chief of ordnance.

They merely state that a primer dry house blew up, resulting in four other scattered explosions. \$2500 was requested for making immediate repair.

THEY ARE ON THEIR WAY TO THE FRONT IN FRANCE; MILLIONS SEE NEW YORK SOLDIERS MARCH AWAY



Photos by American Press Association.

New York city's soldiers came to the turn in the road and marched away to France.

To the rattle of drums and the blare of horns, the hoof beats of horses and tread of men, 25,000 strong, the New York guards, comprising the Twenty-seventh division, passed down the length of Fifth avenue in review, while the millions looked on from sidewalk and tree, from billboard and every vantage point to be found.

From One Hundred and Tenth street to Washington square they marched in a parade that, beginning

at 10 o'clock, lasted five hours before the rearmost ranks swung under the great marble Washington arch. Then for some it was on to the Spartanburg (S. C.) camp and after that to France, while the rest went back to camp and armory, awaiting the call that may come any hour.

Who cared that it was the greatest military spectacle in the city's history? Not the 90,000 fathers, mothers, sisters, little brothers, sweethearts and grand parents of the marching men who, clothed in their Sunday best, the men lot, the women stiff and starched, their little "relative" tabs hanging on their breasts, lined Fifth avenue from the

point of starting to Fifty-ninth street and milled and tossed in Plaza square and Madison square. Their hearts were in their eyes. They looked for familiar faces and did not see much else.

Who cheered as the men marched by? Not these relatives left behind. Their voices were not set for cheering. I was "Oh Tom!" and "God be with you!" and "Good luck to you, boy!" as the men passed on. That's all.

No. 1 shows some of the soldiers marching down Fifth avenue; No. 2, Major General John F. O'Ryan, commanding the division; No. 3, transport wagons of the troops.

ment's campaign to wipe out disloyalty.

The subject as discussed today by Wm. H. Lamar, solicitor of the Post-office Department, and Wm. C. Fitts, assistant attorney general, under whose direction the nationwide seizure of I. W. W. papers was made last Wednesday.

Should it be decided to close the mails to disloyal citizens and others suspected of disloyalty, the action would not be confined to printed matter, but would include correspondence of all sorts.

U. S. May Close Mails to Persons Suspected of Disloyalty.

By Associated Press Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, September 8.—Closing the mails to disloyal citizens is under consideration by the postoffice department and the department of justice as another step in the govern-

605,513 BALES COTTON GINNED

By Associated Press Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—Cotton ginned prior to Sept. 1st amounted to 605,513 bales, counting round as half-bales, the Census Bureau today announced in its first report of the season.

Round bales included, numbered 23,735.

RUSS SHELL WAR CRAFT

(Associated Press Cable)

Petrograd, Sept. 8.—German war-craft have again been sighted in the Gulf of Riga and have been shelled by the coast batteries, the war office announces.

Russian torpedo boats discovered a German submarine and enemy ships apparently trawlers were observed in Irbensky sound. They were forced by the Russian batteries to retire.

USE MUCH YARN

By Associated Press Dispatch.

CINCINNATI, O., September 8.—Yarn for 10,000 mufflers and sweaters to be knitted by Cincinnati women for the American soldiers in Europe will be furnished soon by the Cincinnati chapter, American Red Cross, according to announcement by the executive board of the chapter.

MILITARY OBSERVERS CLAIM GERMAN DRIVE ENDED FOR PRESENT

WEATHER FOR WEEK

Washington, September 8.—(Associated Press Dispatch).—Weather predictions for the week for Ohio valley are: Generally fair except showers Sunday. Cool first half of the week and warmer second half.

SAME HERE SAYS JOHN

By Associated Press Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, SEPTEMBER 8.—GREAT BRITAIN HAS ADVISED THE UNITED STATES THAT PRESIDENT WILSON'S REPLY TO POPE BENEDICT IS IN EFFECT GREAT BRITAIN'S REPLY, AS WAS INDICATED RECENTLY IN A STATEMENT BY LORD CECIL.

NEW PHYSICAL TRAINING BILL

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Washington, Sept. 8.—A federal board to supervise a movement to improve the physical manhood of the country is proposed in a bill introduced by Representative Claypool, of Ohio. It would provide for state boards to cooperate with the federal body and contemplate ample federal and state appropriations to employ physical culture teachers.

FIND LOCK JAW GERMS

By Associated Press Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, September 8.—Presence of lock jaw germs in two out of 13 samples of court plaster purchased in Washington, D. C., and strong indications of the presence of such germs in a sample from the Ohio State Department of Health, have been found by the government.

"Thirty-seven white mice died of inoculations from cultures from the specimens submitted by the Ohio Health Department, the public health service announced today.

Italians Repulsed Says Viennain Announcement Made Today — French Repulse Germans In Lorraine.

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Despite the continued retreat of the Russians on the Riga front, indications are not wanting that the German drive in this region may have reached its limits. This view indeed is taken by leading German military writers who point to the lateness of the season as making it improbable that Von Hindenburg intends pushing the campaign further this fall. He will be content with safeguarding his new acquisition, it is said.

The Franco-Belgian front is witnessing some infantry movements but for the most part the artillery and the air-men are the only branches of the service being actively employed by either side.

London reports heavy patrol fighting on the Ypres front during the night, a successful British raid near Gavrelle and the heavy shelling of Langemark by the Germans. No infantry actions of importance developed however.

The Paris statement announces local attacks by the Germans in Lorraine to the east of Rheims and on the Aisne front, which were broken up by the French fire.

Vienna claims the driving back of the Italians in the Hermada sector where General Cadorna has been pushing toward Trieste. It is asserted that all the ground won by him there in the present offensive has been recovered and that more than 6,000 prisoners have been taken by the Austrians up to the present time.

RESTRICTIONS ARE EXPLAINED

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Washington, Sept. 8.—Treasury officials carrying out the provisions of the president's proclamation requiring the licensing of gold exports will place no general restrictions upon the export of gold in settlement of legitimate trade balances against the U. S. Every transaction however will be based upon its own merits. Practically the only trade balance running against the United States and being paid in gold is from Japan.

Prospective shippers will be required to show that none of the exported gold will find its way into enemy hands.

The outward flow of gold, it is said, will be dammed to a large extent by exercise of the embargo.

INSPECTORS SEEKING WRITER OF ANONYMOUS CARD

Postoffice inspectors, it is understood, have been in the city this week looking for the writer of anonymous postal cards and letters which were received by Mayor Oster and one or two other city officials several months ago, and which were turned over to the postal authorities at that time.

The inspectors will go to the bottom of the matter and if the guilty party is located, as there is reason to believe he may be, prosecution will follow.

The offense is a serious one and the inspectors have invariably landed the guilty party in such cases.

LINE UP FOR THE SUNDAY CONTEST

The Washington Athletics will travel to Hillsboro Sunday to play the fast Hillsboro team. Hungling, who caught for Washington for several years, will catch for the Athletics Sunday. This season he played with Springfield in the Central League and was one of the best catchers in that league this year. His many admirers will be glad to see him back in his old uniform. The Central league season ended Thursday.

Washington's lineup: Hungling, c; Black, p; Adams, 1b; Doyle, 2b; Frohnhoef, ss; Lewis, 3b; Noon, lf; Schuyler, cf; Jones, rf.

Next Sunday Wilmington will play on the local field and the Sunday following Hillsboro will play the Athletics on the home field. Quite a number of fans are expected to accompany the team to Hillsboro Sunday if the weather is good.

CHARTER FRAMERS MEET AND ADJOURN

Because several members of the Charter Commission could not be present Friday night, the meeting was adjourned until Tuesday night of next week, when it is expected that all members will be present and the first real business will be transacted.

Quite a number of charters of other cities have been received by Secretary Ballard, and will be ready for examination at the session Tuesday night.

LOCAL MAN WRITES FROM CHILLICOTHE

In a letter received from one of the first four men going from this county to Camp Sherman as Fayette's first quota to the new National Army, it is announced that the four arrived without mishap and after more than one hour at the station were taken to camp in one of the big army motor trucks.

At camp, Briggs and Turner were

separated from Willis and McDonald. Friday morning the man was put to work peeling potatoes and washing up tables. After breakfast he was given the final physical test and passed. He then received a "shot in the arm and one in the back."

ALLEGED SLACKER IS UNDER ARREST

Guy L. Harris, alias Guy Royce, registered in this city and then hurriedly moved to a point near Columbus before he was summoned to appear for physical examination, is being held in Columbus until the Federal Authorities can dispose of his case. He is held on a charge of attempting to evade the draft law, and the penalty for such offense is a severe one.

It is expected that definite action will be taken in regard to his punishment in the near future, the man was among those wanted for physical examination, but failed to respond to notices, and a little investigation discloses that he had left the city, presumably to evade the military service.

JEFFERSONVILLE MAN IS ARRESTED

Peter Westfall, charged with striking and wounding Lulu Richardson, Sept. 4th, faced Mayor Oster, Friday evening and was released on \$100 bond for his appearances next Tuesday morning, when his preliminary hearing takes place.

It is claimed that Westfall was recently arrested and fined \$10 and the costs for an assault upon the woman's husband. He is from Jeffersonville, and is alleged to have entered the Richardson home and wielded a club.

CIRCLE AVENUE HAS LARGE POND

The heavy rain of Friday night caused a pond or lake to suddenly appear on that part of Circle Avenue between North and Fayette streets, where the water stood high at the alley intersection and backed up in both directions to a point within 50 feet of Fayette and North streets. Lack of proper drainage is responsible for the unhealthy condition of the street.

FOUR CANDIDATES FOR SCHOOL BOARD

Four candidates for the Board of Education have filed in this city, there being two vacancies to be filled on the board this year, the terms of Dr. D. H. Rowe and W. E. Rogers expiring.

The four men who have filed are Dr. D. H. Rowe, Ed. Fite, Dr. L. M. McFadden and Edwin Weaver.

MARRIAGE LICENSES
Henry Casper Groseclose, 25, teacher, Cres, Va., and Dorothy D. Saxton, 21, Rev. Ross.

City Churches

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Wm. Boynton Gage, Pastor.
Sunday School 9:00 a. m. Dr. Carey Persinger, Supt.
Morning Worship 10:30 a. m. the pastor preaching the second sermon in the series on the "Ten Commandments."
Christian Endeavor Prayer Meeting 6:30 p. m.

Evening Worship at 7:30 p. m. The girls of the Westminster Guild will render the pageant, "From Light to Darkness."

Prayer Meeting on Thursday evening at 7:30 p. m. the pastor will begin a study of 1 Cor.

A series of Prayer Meeting studies in 1st Cor., 1st Presbyterian Church. The Church—Introductory, Sept. 13 Divisions in the Church—1 Cor. 1:10-4:21, Sept. 20.

Discipline in the Church—1 Cor. 5, Sept. 27.

Law Suits in the Church—1 Cor. 6:1-11, Oct. 4.

The Church Member and His Body—1 Cor. 6:12-20, Oct. 11.

Advice to the Married—1 Cor. 7, Oct. 18.

The Law of Liberty—1 Cor. 8-10, Oct. 25.

Church Etiquette—1 Cor. 11, Nov. 1.

Spiritual Gifts—1 Cor. 12:14, Nov. 8.

The Resurrection—1 Cor. 15, Nov. 15.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. George L. Hart, Pastor.
Sunday School 9:15 a. m. J. Howard Hicks, Supt.

Divine Worship with preaching by the pastor at 10:30 a. m.

At 7:30 in the evening, the pastor will begin a new series of sermons with reference to the great world war, on the general subject, "The Flag and the Cross."

The special topic of the first sermon will be, "The Broader Vision." B. Y. P. U. at 6:45 p. m.

Thursday night at 7:30 p. m. prayer meeting with bible study, Acts the 10th chapter.

A cordial invitation to worship with us.

MENAIER MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Mrs. M. O. Ireland, Supt.

10:30 a. m. morning Worship Rev. John Dalbey will preach.

6:30 p. m. Senior Christian Endeavor.

7:30 p. m. Preaching by Rev. Dalbey.

Friday evening Choir practice. Visitors welcome.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Arthur P. Cherrington Pastor.

Sunday School 9:00 a. m. Herman Price, Supt.

Public Worship 10:30 a. m. sermon theme "Our Petitions."

Funeral of S. Wesley Brown 1 p. m. Wesley Chapel Sunday School 2:00 p. m.

Class Meeting 2:30 p. m.

Epworth League Rally 6:30 p. m.

Public Worship 7:30 p. m. "An English Hero."

Dr. J. C. Jackson will preach Sunday morning Sept. 16.

Mid-Week Service—Thursday 7:30 "And now abideth faith, hope, love—these three—but the greatest of these is love."

Wesley Chapel Mid-Week Service, Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

The Home Guards E. L. parlor 3:30 p. m. Thursday.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society, church parlors, Wednesday 2:30 p. m.

The group meetings this week are as follows:

N. Fayette group, Monday 2:30 at Mrs. Grover Barger, N. Fayette.

N. North group, Monday 7:30 p. m. at Mrs. N. S. Barnett, N. North street.

Clinton group, Friday 2:30 p. m. at Mrs. Parker, Clinton Ave.

N. Hyde and Main group, Friday 7:30 p. m. at Mrs. Bybee, W. Paint St.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

G. E. Groves, Minister.
9 a. m. Bible School Jas. Minshall Supt. lesson, "The Benefits of Total Abstinence."

This will be followed without intermission by the communion service and preaching sermon subject: "Training Camps for the Lord's Army."

6:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor 7:30 p. m. Evening Worship, sermon subject: "My Neighbor's Landmark."

A welcome and a message for you.

RODGER'S CHAPEL A. M. E.

J. M. Tate, Pastor.
9:30 a. m. Sunday School.
10:30 p. m. Preaching subject: "An Ideal Christian Life."

6:30 p. m. Allen Endeavor.
7:30 p. m. Preaching, subject "The Regenerated Mind."

As this is the last Sunday before the meeting of our annual conference the pastor wishes to see every member and friend present at the close of these services.

A hearty welcome is extended to all.

ST. ANDREWS EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Cor. Fayette and East Streets.
D. W. Barre, Rector.
No announcement furnished.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

Authorized branch of the First Church of Christ, Scientist of Boston Mass.

Second floor Masonic Temple.

Lesson Sermon at 11:00 a. m.

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.

Testimonial meeting, Wednesday 8 p. m.

Reading room open daily except Sundays and holidays, 2-4 p. m.

IMPORTANT WORK TO SAFEGUARD SOLDIERS

Following a cablegram received at Red Cross headquarters from Major Grayson, M. P. Murphy, Red Cross Commission in France, the War Council of the Red Cross has appropriated \$700,000 for this work up to Nov. 1st, 1917. The cablegram reads:

"Great assistance can be given the French Army by cooperating in the organization of canteens, resting and sleeping quarters for men passing to and from the front.

"At points where trains must be changed, ordinary station facilities are absolutely inadequate and men returning tired and dirty from trenches wait many long hours often over night for train connections and sleep on exposed platforms and in all available corners.

"Buffets are wanted beyond any possible capacity. These men averaging several thousand at each station daily should be provided with proper hot food at low prices, proper sleeping and reading rooms and given facilities for washing and disinfection from disease carrying trench vermin which otherwise would be brought into homes while men returning to the front would be given additional stimulus and enthusiasm through such special attention on the part of American women, all of which tends to develop better morale as well as physique.

"Work can be and should be started immediately to provide against particular hardships of winter months.

"Remember that the diseases brought from the trenches to the homes constitute a grave menace, also that long journeys in an exhausted condition deprive men of necessary power of resistance.

"We believe no work more immediately important to safeguard homes and the soldiers and to convince the country at large that we are working with them, and earnestly recommend an appropriation for the purpose.

"The entire plan will be carried out in accordance with the views of General Pershing and the French Army. We are working in close touch with the Young Men's Christian Association who are entirely in accord with our undertaking this work in certain definite districts.

"To carry on the work, which in our judgment we should undertake, would probably require from \$100,000 to \$200,000 per month, depending upon the amount for work.

"The work will be handled at first by American women in France. We will advise you as we need additional women, but we will organize them here."

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WILL MAKE OVER NEW MEN AT BIG CANTONMENT CAMP

Only Cotton Uniforms in Sight and No Overcoats Have Yet Arrived—Final Physical Tests Are First in Order.

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Ohio

It's good to live in Ohio anytime but, it is especially good to be living in Ohio this year when, unless all indications fail, we are going to contribute to the world's granaries almost a double supply of food stuffs and when the folks who raise the food stuffs are going to receive almost double prices for their products.

Some of us may be compelled to go south in the winter or north in the summer for our health, some of us may be so constituted physically and so blessed financially that Ohio's summers are too hot or Ohio winters too cold but, after all, we know that Ohio—take all together, everything considered—is the best old state in the nation.

Other states may boast of more rugged scenery, some may have some better land in small parcels and some may have better climatic conditions but taken all the way through, from lakes to river and from Pennsylvania to Indiana it's a body of land, furnishing opportunity for millions to work and prosper, that can't be duplicated.

Ohio has risen to the demand of the world. Her people have doubled their efforts and nature has doubled her blessings. The result is apparent on every hand in every county and every township of the state.

After all there is nothing like a good average and whenever other sections come forward with a remarkable showing in their specialty Ohio can silence all critics with the great general average.

Three Years Ago and Now

It is just three years now since General Joffre saved Paris and France from the Huns. From September sixth to tenth in 1914, the grey millions of Prussia were checked at the gates of Paris and the menacing wave began to recede.

In that memorable retreat from the Marne when the exhausted German soldiers were compelled to march more than thirty miles during one night, when thousands who fell out of the ranks unable to maintain the awful pace ordered, were shot like dogs by their commanders for the example and effect on their fellow soldiers, the world saw Prussianism reach its high tide.

After having led the German army, by a series of masterful retreats, from northern France, Joffre, unexpectedly, struck at the unguarded flank of the foe and to save that army the great retreat of the war—the greatest in all history—marvelous in the success of its brutality—the main army was saved.

While Germany lost the chance of winning the war when Joffre outgeneralled Von Kluck we must remember that now three years after the Marne her forces still hold doggedly to the earlier lines in France and Belgium and the angry flood has receded very slowly from the lines taken at the close of the great retreat.

The optimistic among the allies saw an early termination of the war after the Marne but since then Serbia and Roumania have been crushed and Russia has collapsed.

Slowly but certainly the hosts of the Kaiser are being pushed back but we must not permit ourselves to become over confident. The end of the war and the triumph of civilization are certain but militarism is not yet crushed and it must be crushed before peace can come.

The third anniversary of the Marne sees the world more grim in its determination but that anniversary also brings realization of the enormity of the task and the need for united effort. While the memory of the Marne revives hope it sends its call to patriots echoing around the world.

The Draft Boards

In the rush of work into which the people have been plunged, the magnitude of the preparations for war and the multiplicity of the many tasks which confront them, there is one branch of the public service—the selective draft boards—which have not, perhaps received the full appreciation which their service warrants.

When we remember that in only one district in the entire United States has any scandal attached to these boards or any of the members, even under conditions which are most conducive to arouse suspicion and hatred and encourage the charge of wrong doing, we begin to realize what wonderfully efficient and honorable men have been giving their services to the nation.

The members of the draft boards have served without compensation and, in almost every instance, have been the representative business and professional men of their communities and the exacting service demanded and given meant an actual loss in money to them.

They have performed their tasks under the law and the rigid interpretation of the war department fearlessly, sympathetically and honorably although it has caused them many a heartache to do so.

Friends in some instances have expected them to do the impossible, failing to appreciate that they were but a part of the machinery of war and that the nation looked to them to do their bit—hard though it was many many times—in the stern work of war.

Poetry For Today

"OVER THE TOP."

Over the ocean first, and then
Over the top to the fray,
Keen for a clash with the Kaiser's men.

Fit for a fight with the Roches when
You face them in deadly fray;
Sammies! your goal is old Berlin,
Over the ocean and then, to win,
Over the top!

Over the top to the ruthless state
Where the thirst for gore began,
To the lair of the Potsdam chiefs
Who prate

Of the Commonwealth and legislate
For the weal of the Superman;
To the rotten nest of the Autocrat
With bayonet, bomb and mop;
Over the ocean, and after that,
Over the top!

Over the top with a dose of lead
That will cure Germanic boasts,
And the hate of heart and hate of head

That drugged the puppets whose
hands are red
With the blood of Europe's hosts;
They cheered the pirates who drown-
ed our kin
And laughed at our pleas to stop;
Over the ocean, and then, to win,
Over the top!

Over the top to triumph, sons,
With the flag of Liberty;
Over the top to whip the Huns,
Heaven that blesses Freedom's guns,
Will give you the victory.
Sammies! your goal is old Berlin,
Your target the Kaiser kop;
Over the ocean, and then, to win,
Over the top!

—St. Louis Post-Dispatch

Weather Report

Washington, September 8. — Ohio, Western Pennsylvania and West Virginia—Thunder showers Saturday; Sunday fair.

Tennessee — Fair west, showers in east portion Saturday; Sunday fair.

Kentucky — Showers Saturday; cooler west portion; Sunday fair.

Indiana — Showers Saturday morning, followed by fair, slightly warmer north portion; Sunday fair.

WEATHER FORECAST

Ohio—Fair.

Daily Calendar.

From noon today to noon tomorrow: Sun sets, 6:21; moon rises, 10:54 p. m.; sun rises, 5:36.

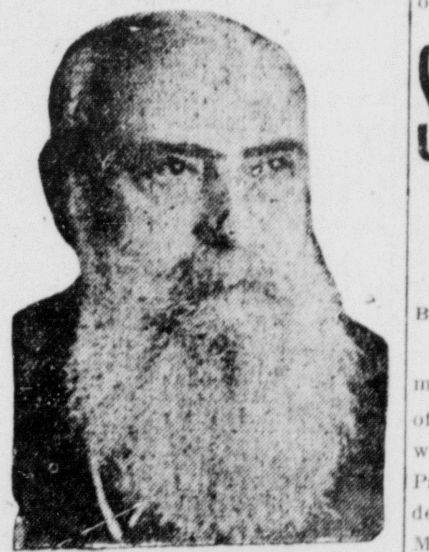
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Ending 7:00 p. m.

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Lowest temperature 54.
Mean temperature 63.
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7. Assets \$14,000,000.00. Five per cent paid on time deposits.

FOOD CRISIS IN RUSSIA GROWS WORSE

(Associated Press Cable)

STOCKHOLM, September 8.—A food crisis in Petrograd and Moscow is reported in advices received here from Haparanda. M. Jurenew, the Russian minister of communication is said to have asked the minister of supplies to take further extraordinary measures to save these cities from famine, saying that the supplies in Petrograd would suffice only for 10 days, and that conditions in Moscow were worse.

All the grain in Moscow has been distributed and in order to provide a further amount arrangements have been made to keep communications by means of special trains between the supply centers and Petrograd and Moscow.

RICH HAUL

By Associated Press Dispatch.

TOLEDO, O., September 8.—Burglars this morning raided the People's Outfitting Store, taking \$12,000 worth of jewelry.

STAFF GETS ORDER TODAY

By Associated Press Dispatch.

COLUMBUS, O., September 8.—All members of the divisional staff officers of the federalized Ohio National Guard with the exception of Major W. H. Parker, of Cincinnati, today were ordered to proceed to Camp Sheridan, Montgomery, Ala., where the Ohio guards will be trained. Members of the staff were appointed by Governor Cox.

BRAND NEW ONE

CINCINNATI, O., September 8.—The contention that under the federal law protecting Indians, he cannot be sued for divorce by a white woman, is set up by Andrew Garlow, in answer to a suit filed in Cincinnati courts a few days ago by Mrs. Mollie Garlow.

She charged him with neglect and cruelty. He lives on the Tuscarora reservation, near Lewiston, N. Y. He asks that the suit be dismissed.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Miss Gwendolyn Schellenger of Jeffersonville is the guest of Mrs. F. G. Carpenter today.

Mrs. Ollie Hutchinson was able Saturday, to leave the Fayette Hospital where she was taken for treatment several weeks ago.

Miss Emma Smith returned from a week's visit in Middletown.



—Berryman in Washington Star.

OHIO NEWS

(By American Press)

Plunge of a Race Horses.
Marysville, O., Sept. 8.—Thurman Jackson, thirteen, was badly injured at the fair grounds when a race horse ran into a fence he was leaning against. His right leg was broken and his left leg severely bruised.

Confesses to Two Murders.
Youngstown, O., Sept. 8.—Charged with murdering two farmhands to rob them, William Williams, twenty, was arrested in Pulaski, Pa., and returned here. The bodies of John Sweeney and Thomas Lyons were found in a field. Police assert Williams has confessed the murders.

Extend Free Ride Limits.
Dover, O., Sept. 8.—When city councilmen found that their new passenger books, issued by the Northern Ohio Traction company, limited free rides to the city limits, instead of between this city and New Philadelphia, as heretofore, they passed an ordinance extending the limits as far toward New Philadelphia as possible at this time.

Officers' Action Held Insult.
Stenbenville, O., Sept. 8.—Declaring that the action of officers of Companies F and G, Tenth Ohio Infantry, in refusing to allow their men to act as an escort to draft soldiers who left here for the Chillicothe training camp was an insult to the national army, officials of the local draft boards announced that the incident would be laid before the war department immediately.

McGhee's Ruling.
Columbus, Sept. 8.—Dentists may legally administer anesthetics, both in the exclusive practice of dentistry and otherwise, so Attorney General McGhee held in a ruling given to the state dental board. There has been a question as to whether or not the law permitted dentists to do this. The state medical board has contended that only physicians could legally administer anesthetics.

Coal Coming.
Columbus, Sept. 8.—Persons in touch with the coal situation expressed the belief that there will have to be almost immediately a complete reversal of the federal government's order giving priority of shipment to coal destined for the northwest. What amounts practically to a coal famine faces many Ohio municipalities. Word from Washington was that the priority order never contemplated that no coal should stop at Ohio points.

POPEJOY FARM IS SOLD TODAY

The Popejoy farm located 5 miles east of this city was sold at execution sale Saturday afternoon. The farm contained 119 acres and was sold for \$126.75 per acre, and was purchased by L. F. Thomas, of New Holland.

The farm was appraised at \$135 an acre.

MUST STAY OUT FAYETTE COUNTY

John Sharp was released from the Xenia workhouse Friday upon payment of \$25 and a promise to remain out of Fayette county.

Sharp was sent to the workhouse on August 4 by Mayor Oster on charges of assault and battery and drunkenness.

SOMEWHERE IN FRANCE

Fred Carpenter, son of Judge and Mrs. Frank G. Carpenter now at Ft. Benjamin Harrison, commissioned Quartermaster Sergeant in the U. S. Medical department, has written the following beautiful poem, which by request, is published below.

It was written for his mother to be included in the repertoire Mrs. Carpenter was scheduled to give at the G. A. R. Encampment and the memorial services at the Sandusky G. A. R. Home:

SOMEWHERE IN FRANCE

Somewhere in France, the bloom of youth

Defends loved ones against those, uncouth,

Uncanny in action and in deed,
Who reverence neither law nor creed.

Somewhere in France, her brave sons fall;

From north to south they have answered the call;

To arms! To arms! Our sword and shield

Is freedom. On, and on, till the foe shall yield!"

Somewhere in France, a Tommy lies wounded—yet he cheerily cries

To his comrades who are not so gay: "Our boys have gained a mile today."

Somewhere in France, the pride of the clan,

The lad in kilts, does what he can To hold the line so madly fought,

To keep the ground so dearly bought.

Somewhere in France, the desert man Honors his race; the Indian

Ne'er falters, nor asks the reason why—

His only aim is to do or die.

Somewhere in France, our own dear brave

Will give their blood a cause to save—

World-wide freedom to guarantee, Establish the power of democracy.

(FRED G. CARPENTER.)

CHARGED WITH ASSAULT

Herbert Shoop was arrested Saturday afternoon on a charge filed by Henry Suwolski who charges Shoop with assault and battery. The trouble is said to have arisen over watermelons which the men were selling.

The trouble occurred August 13, and Suwolski is still crippled from the effects of the fray.

Shoop was arraigned before Mayor Oster Saturday afternoon and pleaded not guilty. However the case was continued until Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. Shoop was released on a \$100 bond.

NEW DEAL IN CHINA

Pekin, Sept. 8.—Dr. Sun Yat Sen has been designated commander in chief of the army and navy of a new military government of China proclaimed by seventy members of the disbanded Chinese parliament meeting at Canton. The military governor of Canton is supporting the Peking government. Fighting between his troops and the forces of Sun Yat Sen is feared. Civilians in Canton are fleeing to Hongkong.

AS YOU LIKE IT

J. W. Sawyer, thirty, of Chicago, was electrocuted at Youngstown, O., when he attempted to handle a broken telephone wire that had fallen to the street.

Markets

NEW YORK STOCKS, LAST SALE

New York, Sept. 8. — American Beet Sugar 85; American Sugar Refining 109; Baltimore & Ohio 66½; Chesapeake & Ohio 56½; Illinois Central 100; Louisville & Nashville 120½; New York Central 76½; Norfolk & Western 114; Pennsylvania 51½; United States Steel 107½; United States Steel preferred 116½; Western Union 90.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Chicago, Sept. 8.—Hogs—Receipts 2000; market strong; bulk \$17.00@18.15; light \$16.65@17.25; mixed \$16.65@18.50; heavy \$16.45@18.45; rough \$16.45@16.70; pigs \$11.75@16.25.

Cattle—Receipts 2000; market unsettled; native beef steers \$7.50@17.00; western steers \$6.50@13.25; stockers and feeders \$6.00@9.50; cows and heifers \$4.45@12.65; calves \$12.00@16.00.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 1000; market unsettled; wethers \$8.50@12.00; lambs \$11.40@17.60.

Pittsburg, Sept. 8.—Hogs—Receipts 1000; market higher; heavies \$18.90@19.00; heavy Yorkers \$19.00@19.15; light Yorkers \$17.25@18.25; pigs \$16.25@16.75.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 500; market steady; top sheep \$11.50; top lambs \$16.50.

Calves—Receipts 100; market steady; top \$16.00.

East Buffalo, Sept. 8.—Cattle—Receipts 600; market steady.

Veal—Receipts 50; market slow; quotation \$7.00@17.00.

Hogs—Receipts 1300; market firm; heavies and Yorkers \$18.50@19.00; light Yorkers and pigs \$17.75@18.00; roughs \$17.50@17.75; stags \$14.00@15.00.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 1400; market active; yearlings \$9.00@14.50 unchanged.

Cincinnati, O., Sept. 8.—Hogs—Receipts 1300; market strong; packers and butchers \$18.00@18.40; common to choice \$12.00@16.75; pigs and lights \$12.00@17.60; stags \$12.00@16.00.

Cattle—Receipts 300; market steady.

Calves—Steady.

Sheep — Receipts 1000; market strong.

GRAIN MARKET

CLOSE

Chicago, Sept. 8. — Corn — Dec. \$1.15½; May \$1.11½.

Oats—Dec. 57½; May 60.

Pork—Oct. \$43.22; Jan. \$42.40.

Lard—Oct. \$23.72; Jan. \$22.55.

Ribs—Oct. \$23.72; Jan. \$21.52.

ALSIKE

Prime cash \$12.65; Oct. \$12.65; Sept. \$12.65.

TIMOTHY

Prime cash Oct. \$3.90.

THE LOCAL MARKET.

Wheat \$2.00
Corn \$1.80
Oats 50c
WASHINGTON PRODUCE MARKET
Butter 25c
Young Chickens 22c
Hens 17c
Eggs 40c

POSTOFFICE RECEIPTS ARE ON THE BOOM DOWN AT CHILLICOTHE

By Associated Press Dispatch.

CHILLICOTHE, O., September 8.—A sure indication of Chillicothe's mushroom growth is in postoffice receipts in the last few weeks. From \$3,377.83 in August last year, receipts went to \$6,513.90 for the past month, supporting Chillicothe's claim that it had doubled in population since spring.

To relieve the tremendous strain on the local postoffice force, a branch office has been opened at Camp Sherman and all military mail is sent and received through it. Mail trains now make pouches which go direct to the camp without having to pass through the Chillicothe postoffice.

Clerks who will serve in the camp postoffice branch are men drafted as were the regular soldiers now coming to the camp. They are quartered temporarily with the other men but soon will be given private accommodations. To handle the first rush of business, pending selection of permanent clerks, Postmaster Wolfe of Chillicothe "borrowed" six clerks from Cincinnati, four from Cleveland and two from Columbus.

While all mail is supposed to be directed to the men at their regimental headquarters, with their company or command designated, there are thousands of pieces of mail without such addresses and to insure delivery the clerks will undertake to compile a complete directory of the men in the camp from General Glenn down to the lowest private.

Social Circles

Capital event of decided social interest was the marriage of Miss Dorothy Dell Saxton daughter of Mrs. T. M. Saxton, to Mr. Henry Groseclose, of Ceres, Va., which was solemnized at Grace M. E. Church Saturday morning at half past eight o'clock.

There has been no fairer bride in many seasons and the absolute simplicity which attended the plighting of the troth was its greatest charm.

The church was filled with the young friends of the bride and representatives of her large family connection, and while they gathered Miss Lillian Davis rendered a beautiful organ program. The guests were hushed to appreciative silence as the young artist played exquisitely her own arrangement of "Oh Promise Me" and "I Love You Truly," the sweet melody melting into the Lohengrin march which announced the bride and bridegroom.

Rev. Frederick E. Ross, of Columbus, and Rev. Arthur P. Cherrington, of Grace M. E. Church, waited at the altar while the young couple came down the aisle, preceded by the maid, Miss Margaret Mark, and best man, Capt. Peery Groseclose, of the U. S. A.

There were no decorations save the immense flag which draped the altar, and the officer uniform worn by the best man added an effective note of the military.

The brides-maid's dark beauty was emphasized by a modish gown of midnight blue georgette, built over flesh tinted silk, with picture velvet hat and shoes to match. A corsage of deep crimson roses was singularly effective and carried out the patriotic color scheme.

The bride a very beautiful girl of distinctive blonde type, was wearing a smart tailored suit of navy blue broadcloth, with white georgette blouse; battleship gray shoes and gloves. Her hat was of black velvet and her flowers bride's roses.

The ring ceremony, performed by Rev. Ross, assisted by Rev. Arthur P. Cherrington, while Miss Davis played softly MacDowell's "A Wild Rose" was wonderfully impressive.

Mr. and Mrs. Groseclose and their attendants held an informal reception before leaving the church giving opportunity for the bride's friends to meet the bridegroom and to personally extend good wishes for their future happiness.

The bride will be greatly missed in her home town, where her sweetness and charm has made her an exceptional favorite. Although quite young she has also been identified with Washington's school interests, having taught the past two years, subsequent to following graduation from the High School with a Normal course. She is also quite a talented musician and her sweet voice has been generously used.

The bridegroom belongs to one of the old families of the south and inherits his own love of study from a line of scholarly ancestors. He is a polished, interesting fellow, a graduate of Washington and Lee University. He is at present Superintendent of the schools at Farmville, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Groseclose left on the 10:46 train for the south. They will spend some time with Mr. Groseclose's mother at her summer home in the mountains of Virginia before going to their own home. The bridegroom's brother, Capt. Peery Groseclose of the West Virginia Infantry, and his niece, Miss Harrietta Peery, of Lynchburg, Va., who came for the wedding accompanied them.

There was gratifying proof of the popularity of the bride in the many beautiful gifts, the expression of affection from friends galore.

The bride's gift to Miss Davis was a corsage bouquet of roses.

The ushers were Messrs Fred M. Mark, Harold Inskeep, H. C. Ireland and Loren Severs.

Among the out of town guests were also Rev. F. E. Ross, daughter, Miss Evelyn, son Donald, Misses Margaret Reeves, Jean Fitzgerald, Ercel Porter, of Columbus; Mr. John N. Shoop, Chicago; Mrs. Lurella Sever, Detroit, Mich; Miss Susan Putnam, Athens.

Miss Bess Cleveland entertained with a beautifully appointed six o'clock dinner, Friday evening.

The guests were; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lloyd, Miss Cecil Reeder, Gilbert Adams, Miss Helen Black and Mr. Anderson of Circleville.

At their beautiful country home near Jeffersonville, Misses Lois and June Lampe delightfully entertained a dozen guests Friday evening in compliment to Mr. and Mrs. James Cook (Anne Le Shobe) who only last evening returned from their wedding trip.

The Misses Lampe in white graciously received their guests, along with the honor guest Mrs. Cook, who was lovely in white Canton cloth skirt with pink chiffon blouse lace trimmed.

A beautiful array of silver, cut glass and brass-ware were showered upon the recent bride.

Games, music and dancing afforded an evening of extreme pleasure.

A yellow color scheme was carried out in the house decoration of black-eyed susans, and the delicious refreshments served.

The guests with the bride and bridegroom included; Misses Ethel Spray, Ho Shobe, Frances Merriweather, Margaret Johnson, Jane Davis, Mary Persinger; Harold Hays, Jay Burnett, and Robert Merriweather.

The Staunton Woman's Foreign Missionary Society met Friday afternoon in enjoyable session at the home of Mrs. L. H. Mark.

The president, Mrs. Emma Sudlow was in charge of the program. Devotional exercises were led by Mrs. Alice Roberts and following an interesting article, "One Woman's Plan in Getting New Members," was read by Miss Cargie McDowell. "Missions" was the underlying theme presented in brief readings by five members. Mite boxes were opened and the year's work generally closed.

The afternoon's program was interspersed by several victrola numbers.

After the business hour there was a delightful social hour. A dainty collation was served, Mrs. Mack Post assisted the hostess.

Thirty-three members of the Rebekah Lodge enjoyed a kensington Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. M. McCoy on South North street.

Little Helen Lemons delighted the guests with a humorous reading, and in a clever contest, Mrs. Pearl Lemons won the prize.

Asters and cosmos formed artistic decoration throughout the rooms. Dainty refreshments were served.

HOME GARDEN GROWS SPLENDID TOMATOES

Miss Emma Smith, of Fayette street and Circle Avenue, is showing her friends the proof of just what can be done in the way of home gardening. Saturday she brought "up town" two of about the finest looking "watermelon" tomatoes any one hereabouts ever saw. Monster, deep pink beauties, the two of them weighed 53 ounces strong. The "watermelon" tomato is a cross between the famous Ponderosa and Peerless and the seed was obtained from Mr. Lee Rankin, who has perfected the splendid variety.

These tomatoes are practically seedless and veinless—solid meat all through. Miss Smith raised the tomatoes in her home garden—a part of the flower beds.

LT. CRAIG IS AGAIN ORDERED TO TRANSFER

Lieutenant T. H. Craig, whose orders to leave for Hattiesburg, Miss., were cancelled, received orders yesterday to report at Camp Sheridan, Montgomery, Ala. He spent Friday night at his home here, and left Saturday morning for his new post.

NEW MODELS ALL COPY THE MILITARY



Navy serge, cut with a yoked coat and straight skirt, gives the smart new trefleur. Military braid and bone buttons achieve quite swaggy sleeves, and the pocket is strictly military.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Cockerill are expected home Sunday from an extended visit with their daughter, Mrs. F. M. Gregg, in Peru, Nebraska. En route home they visit Mr. M. L. Cockerill in Parker, Indiana.

Mrs. John Bollen, who was here to attend the funeral of Mr. John A. Paul, returned to her home in Dayton Friday evening.

Mr. Elmer Crone, of Louisville, Ky., who has been the guest of his brother, Mr. Chas. Crone, on the Circleville pike, returns to his home this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin F. Hopkins, son Edwards, Mrs. Ellen Jones and Mrs. Wm. Boynton Gage returned Friday night from an 800 mile motoring trip. They went by way of Dayton, to Cincinnati, and over into Kentucky for a tour of Lexington, Frankfort and the Blue Grass section, returning by way of Maysville, Ky.

Mr. Frank S. Jackson and family returned Friday evening from a visit of several days with Mr. and Mrs. Will Morgan in Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Barth arrived from Flint, Mich., Saturday evening to visit Mrs. Barth's aunt, Mrs. John L. McKee.

Mrs. Dan Flee is the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Flee. Mr. Flee joins her to spend Sunday.

Mr. Chester Hall returned Saturday from a business trip of several days at Newcastle, Indiana.

Mr. John Hagerty of Cincinnati, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Hagerty, was operated upon at Mt. Carmel Hospital, Columbus, Thursday evening, having an abscess removed from his neck. He was accompanied by his brother, Mr. Stanley Hagerty. Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Hagerty will spend Sunday with their son.

Mr. Ewing and daughter of Sabina were visitors here Saturday.

Carl Mallow, Elton Marine, Willard DeWitt, and John Perrill motored to Marysville Friday to the races where Mr. Mallow drove "Belle Wreath," and won 2nd money.

Mrs. Sadie Lanum returns Sunday to the Girls' Industrial Home at Delaware after a month's vacation here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Carson returned to the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Carson of Leesburg after several days visit with Ernest Chaney and family. Mr. and Mrs. Carson leave in a week for Ithaca, New York, their future home, where Mr. Carson will take the M. A. degree at Cornell University.

Mrs. Jeanette Cline Roseboom entertained Friday Mrs. Lizzie Shobe, Madison Mills, Mrs. Jenny DeWitt, Lima, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McCoy, Mr. George McCoy.

Miss Grace Kramer and Miss Thelma Goldwin, of Chillicothe, have returned home after an enjoyable week's visit at the country home of Miss Maria Schreiner of near Washington C. H.

Mr. Harry Schreiner spent the past few days the guest of friends in Dayton Saturday. Mr. Schreiner left for Oxford where he will continue his studies at Miami University.

Mr. Lawrence Geller will motor from Circleville to spend Sunday the guest of Carl Schreiner.

Mr. Ben Zeigler, representative of J. Zeigler and Sons Cattle Commission men of New York and Mrs. Zeigler arrived Friday from their home in Pittsburgh to visit Mr. and Mrs. Kerns Thompson. Mrs. Zeigler and Mrs. Thompson spent Saturday in Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Vanderveer, daughter Vivian of Carlisle O., Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Vanderveer, daughters Esther and Dorothy, son Wilson spent Friday with Mr. Benjamin Vanderveer.

Miss Mary Weaver returns Sunday to the Girls' Industrial Home at Delaware, where she will teach domestic science.

Mrs. Fred Durham, who was called here by the illness of her father, Mr. John Hartman, returned to her home in Lancaster Saturday morning. Mr. Hartman is not improving as it was hoped he would after two week's illness.

Dr. L. P. Howell spent Friday in Columbus.

Mrs. John N. Shoop and two children who have been visiting Mrs. Shoop's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Perrill, returned to their home in Chicago Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Schell of Dayton with their mother, Mrs. Chas. Kiphart, returned home Friday morning having spent the week with relatives in Clarksville, O. Mr. and Mrs. Schell returned to Dayton Friday evening.

Rev. Frederick E. Ross, daughter

Miss Evelyn, son Donald, Misses Urcel Porter and Margaret Reeves motored down from Columbus Friday evening to attend the wedding of Miss Dorothy Saxton. Rev. Ross was the guest of Rev. Arthur P. Cherrington. Misses Ross and Reeves are being entertained by Miss Lillian Davis and Miss Porter by Mrs. Loring Brock.

Messrs Fred Putman and Russell Putman were business visitors from Frankfort here today.

Mr. Walter McCoy of Springfield joins his wife this evening to spend Sunday at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hidy, daughter Miss Josephine are entertaining for the week-end, Mrs. Hidy's sister Mrs. J. N. Allen and husband, Mr. Frank Rowe, Misses Anne and Juliette Allen of Akron.

Renick Allen is spending the day in Columbus.

Mrs. Frank Chaffin has returned from a week's stay in Cincinnati and Madisonville.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Thoroman and little daughter Elizabeth returned Friday evening from a week's motoring trip to Peebles and Manchester.

Miss Marie Grove, Art teacher arrives Sunday from her home in Urbana.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer McCune of the Circleville pike are announcing the birth of a daughter Saturday morning.

Miss Alta Kendall teacher of Domestic Science arrived today from her home in Jackson.

Miss Elizabeth Sheen, musical instructor in the public schools, arrives Monday from Montrose, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Allen (Eva Carr) are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter, Friday, at their home in Milledgeville.

Mrs. Anna Burns leaves Sunday morning for a three weeks' visit with her brother, John Saterfield, and family at Byngton. Mrs. Burns will also visit relatives in Scioto county before returning.

Miss Doris McFadden returned Saturday morning from attending a house party at the home of Miss Ruth Rizer in Hillsboro.

John Ferguson of Milledgeville is spending the week-end at Sulphur Lick Springs.

Misses Mazie and Ruth Armatrout are shopping visitors here today.

Miss Florence Michaels has returned from a visit in Wilmington.

DEATH REMOVES VETERAN SOLDIER

Mr. Anderson Hyer, old soldier and veteran resident of this city, died at the advanced age of 83 years, Saturday morning at half past four o'clock, at his home on S. Fayette street.

Mr. Hyer is survived by a widow and six children, Mrs. George Taylor, Mrs. Isaac Losey, George and Joe Hyer, Mrs. Leslie Coleman, Mrs. E. A. Bowdle, Hartford City, Indiana.

Funeral services will be held Monday at 2 p. m., at the home. Burial follows in the Washington cemetery.

COUPLE SUICIDE PACT

(By American Press)
Chicago, Sept. 8.—William Haake, twenty-four, was notified to appear before his draft board to be certified into the national army. He did not obey the summons. Officers went to his home. They found Haake and his wife, Rose, eighteen, dead in bed with the gas turned on. They left a note saying they preferred death to separation.

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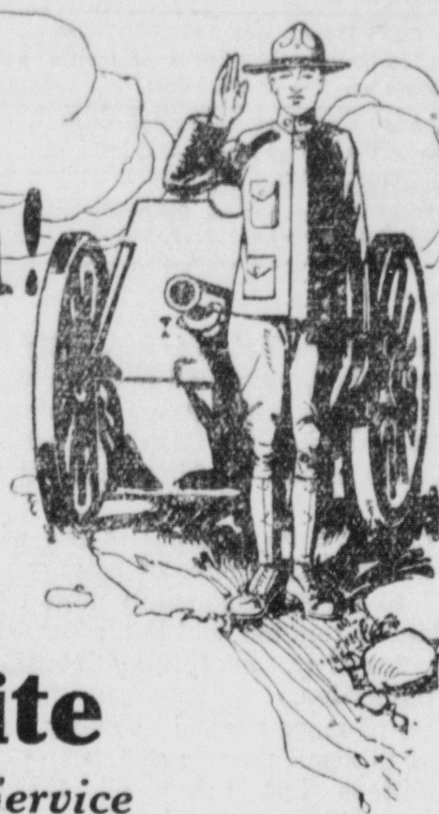
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EDUCATED FOR MISSION WORK

Miss Rosa Makovics the young lady whom the First Presbyterian S. S. is helping to educate for the mission field, will visit local Sunday School Sunday the ninth. The Sunday School took up this work under the direction of Robert E. Pugh, Superintendent of Presbyterian Home Missions, of the Synod of Ohio.

Her niece Miss Wilma Heredovsky who is better acquainted with the English language will accompany her.

They will be guests at the home of S. S. Superintendent, Dr. Carey Persinger while in this city. They arrived at 3:30 this afternoon from Columbus and are invited to stay over for teachers and officers council at 7:30 Monday evening.

TAKES JUDGMENT

The First National Bank of Mt. Sterling filed suit in common pleas court Saturday against James E. and Sadie Snyder for judgment on a cognovit note amounting to \$565 with 8 per cent interest.

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FOR SALE — Seed wheat. Roy Rankin. Bell 88-R5, Milledgeville. 212 t6

IN HARVARD UNIT.

Newark, O., Sept. 8.—Mrs. D. S. McMillan of Newark was a member of the Harvard unit which served one of the hospitals in France, which was shelled by German airmen. She is a trained nurse.

J. O. U. A. M.

The Junior Order United American Mechanics, will meet Monday night at Odd Fellows' Hall, on N. Fayette street, at 7:30 p. m. There will be plenty of watermelon for all, and you urged to come and bring some brother Junior with you.

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KENNETH CROW GIVES EXPERIENCES IN U-BOAT ZONE

Kenneth Crow, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rinaldo Crow, of near Cooks Station, member of the 13th Reserve Corps of Railroad Engineers, U. S. Army, now stationed in England or France, has written to his parents telling of a submarine attack upon the vessel he was aboard. The letter in part follows:

Dear Folks:— We left the pier at New York Sunday, July 22, at 12:30 and stopped out in the bay all afternoon while they got the range of the guns to see if their sights were true, and we got started again at 6 p. m. and have been going continually ever since.

We had exceptionally good weather all the way over. One of the most interesting things is the porpoise, a fish 3 or 4 feet long that goes along the side of the ship and jumps 2 or 3 feet out of the water, seemingly to show themselves. In the first bunch there were thousands of them. They were in sight only about ten minutes. All day yesterday they would show up, six or seven at a time.

Today we are expecting to see the coast of Ireland almost any time. Of course that is only our calculation. We really don't know where we are going to land.

Some of the fellows have the submarine scare pretty bad and can't sleep nights, but as a rule most of them don't seem to let it bother them at all.

We are now in sight of the Hornet's nest and this morning about 10:30 met two torpedo boat destroyers that will go into port with us as additional protection and that makes everyone feel easier.

I am going to tell you my first experience of warfare. This morning while eating breakfast, bang went a gun and nearly every one jumped up. I stayed and finished eating and several shots were fired, and then 'went on deck. Everyone was much excited. Several shots struck near the ship but kept getting farther away at the rear. It was one of the most modern submarines and was out of reach of their torpedoes, and they were using their deck guns. They were about 7000 yards away and neither side made a hit. About 40 shots were fired before we got out of range, as we could run the fastest. Their object was to cripple us. It was almost too far away to see with the naked eye and there was not much chance of them doing us harm. The firing lasted from 7 until 3:30.

No one knew whether it was real or not until we saw their shells falling, as there had been target practice one day in the middle of the week.

The submarine had two guns and was using both at first, but quit using one and some thought one of them was hit.

Everyone felt easier when the two English destroyers showed up. They seemed to come from nowhere. It was only a few minutes from the time they were first seen till they were here, but they did not show up for three hours after the firing. They are staying right with us and don't think we will be bothered any more.

We spent most of our time walking around the boat and seeing what we could. All are anxious to get out, but no one really knows what we are here for.

KENNETH.

DUDLEY FIELD MALONE RESIGNS HIS POST

(By American Press) Washington, Sept. 8.—Dudley Field Malone, customs collector at New York, tendered his resignation to President Wilson in protest against the failure of the president to advocate passage of the federal suffrage amendment and because he permitted the imprisonment of the women who have been picketing the White House.

Mr. Malone, who, as counsel, defended the first of the militants arraigned in police court here, told the president in his letter of resignation that inasmuch as he had promised the women of the suffrage states that he would exert all his energy to have the Democratic national administration endorse suffrage by constitutional amendment, he felt obliged to resign and to devote himself to redeeming that promise.

In quitting the office of collector of the port of New York, Mr. Malone leaves one of the best paid places in the government service. He is a son-in-law of former Senator O'Gorman.

Mr. Malone, in his letter to the president, said in part: Last autumn, as the representative of your administration, I went into the women's suffrage states to urge your election. Throughout those states, and particularly in California, which ultimately decided the election by the vote of women, the women voters were urged to support you even though Judge Hughes had already declared for the federal suffrage amendment, because you and your party were more likely to enfranchise the rest of the women of the country than were your opponents. And if the women of the west voted to re-elect you, I promised them I would spend all my energy at my service to myself to get the present administration to pass the federal suffrage amendment.

But the present policy of the administration, in permitting splendid American women to be sent to jail in Washington for carrying offensive banners, not for picketing, but on the technical charge of obstructing traffic, is a denial even of their constitutional right to petition for and demand the passage of the federal suffrage amendment. It therefore now becomes my profound obligation actively to keep my promise to the women of the west.

In more than twenty states it is a practical impossibility to amend the state constitutions; so the women of those states can only be enfranchised by the passage of the federal suffrage amendment. Since England and Russia in the midst of the great war have assured the national enfranchisement of their women, should we not be jealous to maintain our democratic leadership in the world by the speedy national enfranchisement of American women? To me, Mr. President, as I urged upon you in Washington two months ago, this is not only a measure of justice, and democracy, it is also an urgent war measure. Unless the government takes at least the first step towards their enfranchisement, how can the government ask millions of American women to give up by conscription their men and happiness to a war for democracy in Europe, while these women citizens are denied the right to vote on the policies of government which demands of them such sacrifices?

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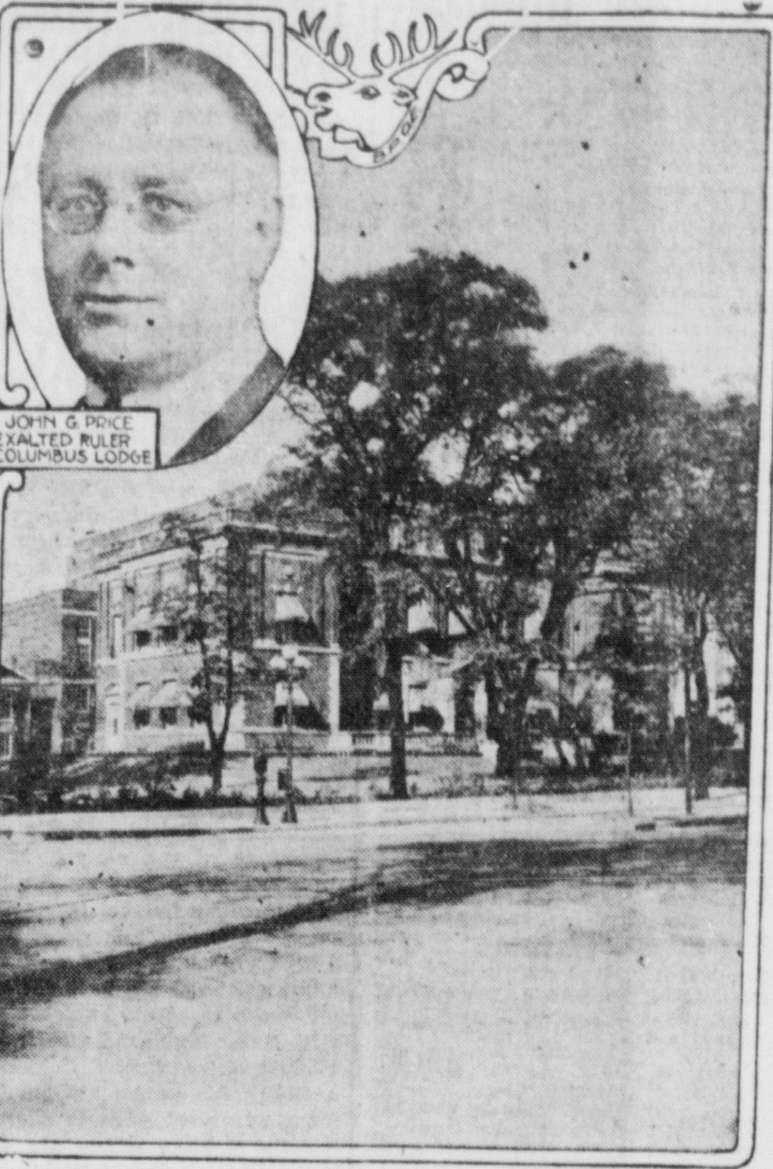
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New Home Columbus Lodge No. 37 B. P. O. Elks, Columbus, Ohio



The meetings of the Ohio State Association of Elks' reunion, Sept. 18 to 21, 1917, will be held in the beautiful Elks' home, located on East Broad street, for which elaborate preparations are being made by the executive committee consisting of John G. Price, chairman; J. W. Ranney, secretary; J. W. Kaufman, Albert Berner, Edward T. Gettrost and Albert B. Dawson.

Love of country and loyalty to the war cause of the United States are so keenly implanted in Ohio Elks that they will abandon their usual "show" parade this year and substitute for it an impressive patriotic demonstration on Thursday night of the reunion. These wartime ceremonies will be held in the Statehouse yard. Columbus citizens will be asked to unite with the lodge men in paying tribute to the fighting men of America. At one time during the ceremonies those of the assemblage will bow their heads in silent testimony of appreciation of our soldiers and in contemplation of the war's significance.

A splendid program of entertainment has been arranged for the Elks and their ladies. At a special initiation by Columbus lodge the new ritual, adopted by the grand lodge at Boston, will be exemplified.

I. W. W. PLANNED TO HALT WORK

(By American Press)

Washington, Sept. 8.—Numerous indictments for conspiracy to thwart the government's war plans and tie its hands in many ways appear to be in prospect as a result of Wednesday's nation-wide raid of Industrial Workers of the World offices by department of justice agents.

Anti-draft demonstrations, crippling of war industries by so-called labor disturbances and by violence, burning of crops and continuous preaching of anti-ally sentiment, with other activities, tended to embarrass the government and retard the exercise of its full strength in prosecuting the war.

Into the formation and the workings of this alleged conspiracy the department of justice has begun an inquiry more comprehensive, it is said, than any launched since this country's entry into the war. How closely the anti-war activities and propaganda have been inter-related is to be determined largely by the federal grand jury now sitting at Chicago, investigating documents seized by government agents in their raids of I. W. W. and Socialist offices of that city and throughout the country. Indications are that the alleged conspiracy had its origin in Chicago and for some time was actively directed from that city.

There also are indications that German money financed, in part this propaganda, that German funds were spent freely in many ways to further the ends of the conspirators and that of the many persons believed to be actively identified in carrying on the work, few knew of this source of financial support.

The grand jury inquiry will not be confined from present indications, to Chicago. United States attorneys who have not accumulated documentary evidence which apparently supports the theory of a great conspiracy are said to be few in number. It is probable that much of the evidence will be presented to other grand juries, once the extensive plans and workings of the chief alleged conspirators are determined in Chicago.

So vast is the accumulation of letters, checks and papers of all descriptions seized by the government agents that the great bulk still lies unsorted and the exact determination of their contents and significance probably will not be reached for several days.

Monday is the last discount day on gas and electric light bills.

Boost Washington; buy at home.

PLENTY OF MEN

DELEWARE, Sept. 8.—Rumors from the colleges have been to the effect that there would be a great shortage of men enrolled for the present year. The report just issued from Dean's office of Ohio Wesleyan University at Delaware shows that this will not be the case at that institution. The figures show that the number of new and Freshman men enrolled to date is practically equal to the average for new men enrolled for the past five years on this same date. An increase is shown in the number of women enrolled. The statement accompanying the figures shows that Ohio Wesleyan is optimistic in the expectation of normal student body.

In a statement just made Dr. P. K. Holmes, Director of Athletics of Ohio Wesleyan, says, "We will carry out all of our schedules in intercollegiate athletics according to previous arrangements and contracts to the best of our ability. We will also place special emphasis on intra-mural athletics this year."

Senator LaFollette's amendment to increase the income tax levy to \$557,000,000, or about \$75,000,000 more than the bill provides by increasing surtaxes on incomes in excess of \$25,000, was defeated without a roll call. The present law prescribes \$5,000 and \$4,000.

\$300,000 FOR RED CROSS WORK IN NEAR EAST

Acting upon the commendation of the Red Cross Committee on Co-operation, headed by C. A. Coffin, the Red Cross War Council has appropriated \$300,000 for relief work in the Near East, through the American Committee for the Armenian and Syrian Relief. This is the second appropriation of \$300,000 to the Armenian Relief Committee.

Owing to the position taken by the Turkish Government, the American Committee for Armenian and Syrian Relief is the only American organization authorized to carry on any kind of relief activities in the Ottoman Empire. In no theater of the war have populations experienced greater suffering than in Armenia, Palestine and the Caucasus.

The American Committee has been able to carry succor to the stricken people in these territories through the efforts of American, Swiss, Swedish and Danish missionaries. Nearly one hundred of these men are now stationed throughout Asia Minor supervising the distribution of supplies. Three commissioners supervise the work, serving without pay and bearing their own expenses abroad.

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ITALIANS BATTLE WITH AUSTRIANS FOR MOUNTAIN TOP

(By American Press)

London, Sept. 8.—Italians and Austrians are still battling desperately for the possession of Monte San Gabriele and other important positions northeast of Gorizia.

Rome reports that despite desperate resistance on the part of the Austrians, the Italians are pressing home their attacks.

Although suffering heavy losses, the Austrians are battling tenaciously for the highest positions. General Cadorna's latest report, however, says that the Italian pressure is continuing decisively. The Italians have added 200 more to the number of prisoners taken in the fighting here.

On the Carso and in the region of Hermada the Austrians have stopped their unsuccessful attacks, but the artillery battle rages incessantly making the whole region an inferno. Only local infantry actions for the purpose of straightening out their lines have been carried out by the Italians.

In their present drive the Italians have already taken 10,000 prisoners and the total losses of the Austrians are estimated at 120,000. Northeast of Gorizia the Austrians have been on the defensive. On the Carso, especially in the region of the Hermada, their offensive efforts have failed with great losses. The ground over which the Austrians charged this week in an effort to keep the Italians from advancing further toward Trieste is heaped with dead.

German cavalry has been engaged with Russian rear guards at Zogevod forty miles east of Riga, but apparently the German advance in force has slackened. Around Friedrichstadt, about fifty miles southeast of Riga on the Dvina river, the retiring Russians have set fire to several villages.

North of Fresenberg, in the Ypres region, the British have been compelled to withdraw from the positions occupied Thursday. Around Lens the Canadians have been engaged in hard fighting with the Germans. On a part of the sector west of Lens German counter attacks resulted in gains, but on the southern end of the sector the Canadians held and extended their positions. The Canadian front here now is a serious menace to the German positions, along the Souchez river. Along the Aisne, in Champagne, and on both banks of the Meuse, the opposing artilleries continue active.

COMMITTEE WINS OUT IN SENATE

(By American Press)

Washington, Sept. 8.—The income tax section of the war revenue bill virtually was disposed of by the senate in adoption of the provisions as drafted by the finance committee to raise \$842,200,000 more revenue from incomes, including \$482,000,000 from individuals and \$350,000,000 from corporations. All efforts of high tax advocates to increase the assessments failed.

After spirited debate, the LaFollette-Hardwick amendment proposing to give all enlisted and drafted American men and officers serving in Europe a monthly bonus of \$50 by increasing all war tax rates on incomes over \$25,000 was rejected 74 to 5.

Senator Trammell's amendment to make \$2,000 for single persons and \$3,000 for married the income exemption basis, instead of \$1,000 and \$2,000, respectively, as provided in the bill, was defeated without a roll call. The present law prescribes \$5,000 and \$4,000.

Senator LaFollette's amendment to increase the assessment upon individual incomes to \$443,551,000 previously was rejected 55 to 19.

Senators voting for the LaFollette amendment were: Borah, Brady, Gronna, Hardwick, Hollis, Huston, Johnson of California, Jones of Washington, Kenyon, LaFollette, McNary, Norris, Poindexter, Reed, Sheppard, Sutherland, Thompson, Trammell and Vardaman.

Senator Hollis' amendment proposing to increase the income tax levy to \$557,000,000, or about \$75,000,000 more than the bill provides by increasing surtaxes on incomes in excess of \$25,000, was defeated without a roll call. The present law prescribes \$5,000 and \$4,000.

Senator Hollis also offered and Chairman Simmons accepted another amendment to exempt from taxation donations made to eleemosynary, religious, charitable, scientific and educational organizations, not in excess of 15 per cent of the donor's incomes.

Reiterated statements from the high tax advocates during the recent debate that the so-called conservatives were willing to conscript men, but not money, brought forth a vigorous reply from Senator Smoot.

"We have heard a lot about conning flesh and blood into profits," he said, "with an apparent show of temper. Senators have said that those voting against drastic taxation were not willing to conscript wealth. Why this bill raises a greater percentage by direct taxation than any other country in the world. I know of no greater assistance to the Kaiser than by legislation to cripple our industries."

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SOUTH CHARLESTON VOTES FOR CHARTER

At a special election at South Charleston this week the commission form of government was adopted by a majority of 66, the vote standing 197 in favor and 41 against it. The following business men were elected to draft the charter: Frank McMahon, Joseph B. Wheeler, H. F. Gross, Walter Mitchell, L. C. Titus, H. O. Core, F. B. Houston, W. D. Sprague, James M. Light, J. C. Jones, G. M. Chase, David Daugherty, S. B. Rankin, Charles Nicholson and Floyd Baker.

When ten freight cars were piled up at Madisonville, on the B. & O. railroad, Friday evening, train schedules were shattered until Saturday morning, nearly all passenger trains being several hours late as result of the bad freight wreck.

CARS PILED UP TRAINS DELAYED

The big hook had some difficulty in clearing the road so that traffic could be resumed in fair time.

LABOR REPRESENTATIVES GENOUNCE PACIFISTS

(By American Press)

Minneapolis, Sept. 8.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, was elected president of the American Alliance for Labor and Democracy here. Resolutions were adopted pledging the support of loyal labor to the cause of democracy, denouncing pacifist enemies of the republic and calling on the workers unconditionally to support the president.

Unity of action was declared the fundamental necessity of the hour. A committee of five was ordered appointed to communicate with the leaders of the Russian democracy and to convey the greetings of the conference to the Russian workers.

Georges Rappeport, the French pacifist and at present an aviator in the French army, is coming to the United States as an aviation instructor and will be stationed at Dayton, O.

C. H. & D. 567.....7:50 a. m. | 568.....9:00 a. m. 569.....4:05 p. m. | 570.....6:20 p. m. * Daily except Sunday.

MILITARY TRAINING FOR ALL STUDENTS

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Cleveland, O., September 8.—Military training will be required of all students, save those exempted by the college for physical reasons, in Adelbert College of Western Reserve University, this year.

The college faculty voted for systematic military training and the action was approved by the Board of Trustees. The course will include military drill and military tactics. Approximately five hours a week will be devoted to the work.

Dr. W. G. Leutner, dean of the college, said that the action had been taken because of conviction of college faculty members and officers that it is the patriotic duty to train students so that they can be of greatest service. The discipline and physical exercise obtained in connection will be expected to produce physical and moral results.

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PENNSYLVANIA LINES GOING WEST GOING EAST No. Cincinnati No. Zanesville 569.....9:25 a. m. | 568.....9:47 a. m. 519.....3:47 p. m. | 518.....5:45 p. m. Sunday to Cincinnati.....7:40 a. m. Sunday to Lancaster.....8:28 p. m.

DETROIT TOLEDO & IRONTON GOING NORTH GOING SOUTH No. Springfield No. Greenfield 2.....7:41 a. m. | 5.....9:45 a. m. 6.....3:20 p. m. | 1.....6:55 p. m. Sunday 6:55 p. m. | Sunday 8:50 a. m.

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